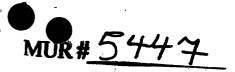
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## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)
Missouri Republican State Committee -	) AUDIT REFERRAL 03-09
Federal Committee and Harvey	.)
Tettlebaum, as treasurer	)
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## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Mary W. Dove, Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on April 26, 2004, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in Audit Referral 03-09:

- 1. Open a Matter Under Review.
- 2. Find reason to believe that the Missouri Republican State Committee Federal Committee and Harvey Tettlebaum, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b) and 11 C.F.R. §§ 102.5(a) and 106.5(g).
- 3. Approve the appropriate factual and legal analysis, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated April 21, 2004.
- 4. Enter into conciliation with the Missouri Republican State Committee Federal Committee and Harvey Tettlebaum, as treasurer, prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
- 5. Approve the conciliation agreement, as recommendation in the General Counsel's Report dated April 21, 2004.
- 6. Approve the appropriate letter, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated April 21, 2004.

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Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Smith, Thomas, Toner, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

of the Commission